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A Weekly edition of the WHIG STANDARD for country circulation is published every Saturday morning, at ONE DOLLAR per annum, in advance.

PROSPECTUS.

THE undersigned, believing that a cheap daily Whig newspaper at the seat of Government would prove a valuable auxiliary to the Whig cause during the approaching Presidential contest, will publish, on the first Monday in November next, a thorough and decided Whig paper, entitled,

THE WHIG STANDARD, devoted to the principles and policy of that party, as laid down in the following declarations by HENRY CLAY:

- "A sound National Currency, regulated by the will and authority of the Nation;
- "An adequate revenue, with fair protection to American Industry;
- "Just restraints on the Executive Power, embracing further restrictions on the exercise of the Veto;
- "A faithful administration of the Public Domain, with an equitable distribution of the proceeds of the sales of it among the States;
- "An honest and economical administration of the General Government, leaving public officers perfect freedom of thought, and of the right of suffrage, but with suitable restraints against improper interference in elections;
- "An amendment of the Constitution limiting the incumbent of the Presidential office to a single term."

To this announcement we believe every true and ardent Whig will favorably respond. The hearts of the Whig army, whose ranks were unbroken, and whose banners floated unstricken during the campaign of '40, must, everywhere, swell with glorious pride at the memory of the past, and their hopes encouraged by their joyous anticipations of the future. It is true a nightmare of treachery now rests upon the energies of the party; but shall we not arouse to the importance of the political conflict which is about to ensue? There are at this time fine opposition papers at the Seat of Government, each, in its way, endeavoring to sap the foundations of the Whig party, and blasting the prosperity of the country by the measures they propose. Shall we not rally against the foes excited by these emissaries, whose corrupt and atrocious motives are manifest by their early wrangling for spoils which they never can win? We know the response of millions of freemen will be "AY, RALLY!" Already the "hum of either army stilly sounds;" already the general furnishing of arms "gives dreadful note of preparation;" then let ours be a bright and death-dealing sword in the conflict. Let us rally under a leader upon whose standard is inscribed "Liberty, Order, the Constitution;" whose great political and personal virtues endear him to every generous heart, and whose patriotism has never been excelled—let us rally for HENRY CLAY, the Statesman and Sage, the friend of the workingman, the idol of his country, which, for forty years, next to his God, has had his chief care.

In addition to the thorough Whig course which this paper will pursue, its readers will be furnished with the earliest local intelligence of the city and District, and the general news of the day.

The daily hour of publication will be 6 o'clock in the morning; and during the session of Congress a synopsis of its proceedings will be given up to adjournment, by able reporters; enabling us thus to transmit abroad, through its columns, whatever of interest may transpire, at the earliest hour.

The WHIG STANDARD will be published, daily, at 10 cents per week, payable to the carriers.

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P. S. All communications by mail must be post paid, or they will remain in the post office.

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As they are the only persons who have a contract with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for that purpose, they are enabled to receive and forward goods, &c. in advance of any other line.

Merchants and others who wish to avail themselves of our line, and who order goods, &c. from Boston, New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, will find it to their advantage to direct in care of the following:

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Per Shoemaker & Sanford's Express from Philadelphia.

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We receive Packages, Parcels, &c. for the East, West, and South at all hours during the day, and deliver them to the consignee soon as received. We will also receive and forward from Baltimore and Washington goods and articles of every description, by the first regular trains.

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SWAYNE'S
Compound Syrup
of Wild Cherry, in
Pulmonary CONSUMPTION, have excited the astonishment of all who have witnessed its marvelous effects; there is no account of a medicine, from the earliest ages furnishing a parallel; the almost miraculous cures effected by this extraordinary medicine, are unprecedented. One among the many certificates may be seen below.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15, 1840.

Dr. SWAYNE—Dear Sir:
PERMIT me to take the liberty of writing to you at this time to express my approbation, and to recommend to the attention of heads of families and others your invaluable medicine—the Compound Syrup of Prunus Virginiana, or Wild Cherry Bark. In my travels of late, I have seen, in a great many instances, the wonderful effects of your medicine in relieving children of very obstinate complaints, such as Coughing, Wheezing, Choking of Phlegm, Asthmatic attacks, &c., &c. I should not have written this letter, however, at present, although I have felt it my duty to add my testimony to it for some time, had it not been for a late instance where the medicine above alluded to was instrumental in restoring to perfect health an "only child," whose case was almost hopeless, in a family of my acquaintance. "I thank Heaven," said the doating mother, "my child is saved from the jaws of death;" and I now say and believe that, beyond all doubt, Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry is the most valuable medicine in this or any other country. I am certain I have witnessed more than one hundred cases where it has been attended with complete success. I am using it myself in an obstinate attack of Bronchitis, in which it proved effectual in an exceedingly short time, considering the severity of the case. I can recommend it in the fullest confidence of its superior virtues; I would advise that no family should be without it; it is very pleasant and always beneficial—worth double, and often ten times its price. The public are assured there is no quackery about it.

R. JACKSON, D.D.

Formerly Pastor

of the First Presbyterian Church, N.Y.
In districts where Calomel and Quinine have been too freely made use of in bilious complaints, &c., Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, will prevent their evil effects on the system, and act as a strengthening alternative and improve the bilious functions.

CAUTION.—All preparations from this valuable tree, except the original Dr. Swayne's Compound Syrup of Wild Cherry, are fictitious and counterfeit. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne, whose office is now removed to N. W. corner of Eighth and Race streets, Philadelphia.

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NOV 24—6m

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R. FARNHAM,

Bookseller, Penn. av. corner 11th st.

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THE GOVERNMENTAL REGISTER, AND WASHINGTON DIRECTORY, by A. REMBERT. This compilation contains every thing of essential utility that is comprehended in the "Blue Book," including the names of all householders in the city of Washington, and an original Official Directory, &c.

The trade abroad, or others, may be supplied by communicating with the compiler, or Jno. T. Towers, publisher, at the office of the Whig Standard.

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DROUT AND MATHER'S PRINTING INK, book and news, always on hand, and sold at their prices.

R. FARNHAM,

corner 11th st. and Penn. av.

NOV 7

CAMPBELL OIL, GLASSES, AND WICKS.—I have this day received a fresh supply of the above.

Z. D. GU MAN.

dec 6

FRESH BUTTER, EGGS, &c.—The subscriber has just received a choice lot of fresh Table Butter

48 choice New York Cheese
50 dozen Fresh Eggs
200 bushels Potatoes
Also, for sale, Tamarinds, and a choice lot of Sweetmeats, &c., &c.

S. HOLMES,

7th street.

jan 18

FAMILY GROCERIES.—S. HOLMES has now received his full supply of Fall and Winter Goods, comprising a complete assortment. His stock of fresh teas, sugars, spices, fruits, coffee, butter, cheese, cranberries, apples, buckwheat, and family flour, mackerel, salmon, smoked and pickled, &c., &c., is worthy of attention, which he respectfully invites. Seventh street, nearly opposite the Patriotic Bank.

SPERM AND MOULD CANDLES.—The subscriber has on hand a fine lot of sperm, mould, adamantin, and the patent sperm candle; also, a superior article of lamp oil.

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

A CHOICE LOT OF SWEETMEATS.—Peach, pine apple, citron, lime, preserves, raspberry jelly, and currant jelly, for sale by

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

dec 9

FRESH LOBSTERS.—A small lot prepared for the table, for sale by

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

dec 9

CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c.—

60 doz Appleby's fine cut tobacco
40 doz Pomeroy, Holmes, and Kingsland do
A great variety of plug do
9,000 doz Havana segars, which will be sold at wholesale or retail, by

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

dec 9

SOAP.—30 boxes chemical soap

6 boxes fancy, palm, and other kinds
Also, the bar soap in common use, for sale by

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

dec 9

MACKEREL.—No. 1, 2, and 3, for sale at retail

or by the barrel, by

S. HOLMES, 7th street.

dec 9

HONEY! HONEY!—The subscriber has just received by railroad and steamboat from New York—

15 choice Boxes of Honey in the comb
1 Barrel Cuba Honey
30 additional Boxes fine Cheese

And a good assortment of Door Mats, manufactured by the Shakers.

S. HOLMES,

7th street.

dec 16—

FRESH RICE, PEARL BARLEY, VERMICELLI, RICE FLOUR, TAMARINDS, &c.—For sale by

S. HOLMES,

7th street.

dec 16—

STONE WARE.—Bath Brick, Paste and Liquid Blacking. For sale by

S. HOLMES,

7th street.

dec 16—

HOARHOUD CANDY.—The subscriber has recently been appointed agent for the sale of Pease's Hoarhound Candy. He could speak from personal knowledge of its beneficial effects in cases of severe cold, coughs, &c., but, lest he may be deemed an interested witness, he adduces the following, among numerous other testimonies, to the same import:

Hermitage, April 17, 1843.

I have the pleasure to acknowledge your kind favor of the 1st ultimo, by the hand of my friend, Mr. J. Armstrong, and with it your most esteemed present, a package of your Hoarhound Candy, for which receive my sincere thanks. I can only add, that many thousands receive from its use as much benefit as I have done, then will its inventor go down to posterity as one of its benefactors.

I am gentlemen, very respectfully,

Your friend and obdt serv't,

ANDREW JACKSON.

Messrs. Pease & Sons.

Washington, April 6, 1843.

The President desires me to return Messrs. Pease & Sons his acknowledgments and very sincere thanks for the box of Candy received at their hands. He has used it with much benefit to himself, as a remedy for cold and cough. I am, with very much respect,

JOHN TYLER, jr., Private Secretary.

Albany, May 18, 1842.

Gentlemen: You will pardon me for the delay in replying to your letter of the 14th ultimo, and acknowledging the receipt of a box of your Clarified Essence of Hoarhound Candy.

Allow me to thank you for this kind respect, and to express the hope that you will be liberally patronized in your efforts for the public. The article is got up in beautiful style, and is highly commended by those who have had occasion to use it.

Your obdt serv't,

Messrs. Pease & Sons. WM. C. BOUCK.

City Hall, New York, June 27, 1843.

Messrs: I have repeatedly used your Candy for coughs and colds, and always found relief, but official duties prevented me from writing to you before. But as I have lately been cured of the influenza, I cannot withhold from recommending the same to the public.

I am yours, truly,

ROBT. H. MORRIS.

Messrs. Pease & Sons, 45 Division street.

Lindenwald, Oct. 14, 1843.

Gentlemen: I have to thank you for the box of your, I doubt not, justly celebrated Clarified Essence of Hoarhound Candy, and also for the very obliging terms in which you have been pleased to present it.

I have not, I am happy to inform you, as yet had occasion to use it, but will do so when necessary, with a confidence in its efficacy which is well warranted by the experience of others.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

M. VAN BUREN.

After all, the best recommendation of it is a personal application which he invites those afflicted with coughs and all public speakers to make. He will keep a constant supply at his Family Grocery Store, on 7th street, nearly opposite the Patriotic Bank.

S. HOLMES.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

[From the Hartford Courant.]

WHIG SONG FOR 1844.

TUNE.—Bruce's Address.

Whigs, who ne'er from contest bled,
Whigs, whose foes have often fled,
Wide our banner now unsprung—
Ours the victory.

Let no heart among us cower
As our foes in strife for power
On our heads shall madly shower
All their enmity.

Who will lift no hand to save,
Who inglorious rest will crave,
Who his country's curse will brave,
Let him shun the field.

Who, for justice, truth, and right,
Scorns to seek repose or flight,
Let him gird him now for fight,
Grasping sword and shield.

By our country's deep distress,
By those wrongs which urge redress,
We the strife will boldly press,
And we'll win the day.

Let our fierce opposers know
We can render blow for blow,
We can meet and quell a foe,
Such a foe as they.

Who shall lead our eager band?
Who, our standard in his hand,
March victorious o'er the land?
Gallant Henry Clay.

Shout his name from east to west—
Let the echo wide attest
We delight to honor best
Worthy Henry Clay.

Ever for his country's good,
Nobly in the van has stood,
Like the oak amid the wood,
Dauntless Henry Clay.

Now his country will accord
To the patriot, high reward,
Vainly sought by chiefs abhorred,
Won by Henry Clay.

May the year of 'fourty-four
Our prosperity restore,
Lost through traitor hands before,
Found through Henry Clay.

Shout for Clay, of nobler birth
Than the monarchs of the earth,
Sons of liberty and worth—
Shout for Henry Clay.

STORY OF A BEAR.

Many years ago a beautiful little cub bear was caught by a stout lad near the borders of Lake Winnepesaukee, in New Hampshire, carried into town, and, after proper drilling, became the play-fellow of the boys of the village, and often accompanied them to the schoolhouse. After passing a few months in civilized society, he made his escape into the woods, and after a few years was almost forgotten. The schoolhouse, meantime, had fallen from the schoolmaster's into the school-mistress's hands; and, instead of large boys learning to write and cypher, small boys and girls were taught in the same place knitting and spelling. One winter's day, after a mild fall of snow, the door had been left open by some urchin going out, when, to the unspeakable horror of the spectacled dame and her fourscore hopeful scholars, an enormous bear walked in, in the most familiar manner in the world, and took a seat by the fire. Huddling over the benches as fast as they could, the children crowded about their schoolmistress, who had fled to the farthest corner of the room; and there they stood, crying and pushing to escape the horror of being eaten first. The bear sat snuffing and warming himself by the fire, showing great signs of satisfaction, but putting off his meal until he had warmed himself thoroughly. The screams of the children continued, but the schoolhouse was far from any other habitation, and the bear did not seem at all embarrassed by the outcry. After sitting and turning himself about for some time, bruin got up upon his hind legs, and shoving to the door, began to take down, one by one, the hats, bonnets, and satchels that hung on several rows of pegs behind it. His memory had not deceived him, for they contained, as of old, the children's dinners, and he had arrived before the holidays. Having satisfied himself with their cheese, bread, pies, doughnuts, and apples, bruin smelt at the mistress's desk; but finding it locked, gave himself a shake of resignation, opened the door, and disappeared. The alarm was given, and the amiable creature was pursued and killed, very much to the regret of the town's people, when it was discovered, by some marks in his body, that it was their old friend and playfellow.

BOYHOOD vs. MANHOOD.

"The world has undergone a nice alteration since my time, certainly. My belief is that there ain't any boys left—that there ain't such a thing as a boy—that there's nothing between a male baby and a man—and that all boys went out with his blessed Majesty King George the Second."—Barnaby Rudge.

This is the language of John Willett of the Maypole, one of the characters in Barnaby Rudge, and it contains more truth than fiction. One portion of human flesh, is stricken out. It is now boyhood or manhood. Once there were intermediate states of boyhood; a harefooted and bean porridge eating state—a spelling and cyphering period—when there were boys to do chores and go of errands—when apprentice indentures were in fashion, and the line between boyhood and manhood were well defined by the "freedom suit."

But there are no such things now. The child steps out of his frock into a long tail coat and calf skin boots. He exchanges the nipple for a cigar. Not one of the present generation has ever seen a real bona fide "nine days old" pot of bean porridge. Noah Webster's spelling book is crowded out of our schools by high works on Philosophy and Metaphysics. There are no apprentices now. Young men take a few lessons in the trade they fancy, and then set up for themselves. John Willett was right as a "general principle," though he was wrong in the "practical sense."

But the present generation is as destitute of girls as of boys. It is either baby or lady—nursery or parlor. The mother tends her infant or waits on her daughter. Instead of spinning flax for their father's shirts, they reel silk for the ladies fair; and instead of knitting stockings and mending trousers for their brothers, they knit lace and make stays for themselves. The mother milks, churns, washes, and irons, and the young ladies read novels, dress, make and receive calls. They make parties instead of puddings, and cook by the book, rather than from knowledge.

We should be delighted to see a generation of boys and girls—in looks, actions, and dress; we should then hope for health and strength, industry and sobriety, frugality and economy, prosperity and happiness. We are for protection to this class of community. Every farmer should impose a tariff, one that should amount to a total prohibition to the introduction of fashionable follies into his family. He and his wife and his children should enter into a "home industry" on the subject. This is the tariff that will restore confidence. This is the bank that will freely discount and never suspend.

An honest farmer in the south part of Massachusetts, talking about his crops, &c., was told that he must trust to Providence for them. "I don't know," said he, "I have been to Providence, and I have been to Boston, and I think I'd rather trust Boston.—Louisville Dime.

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN SNUFFS.—I have just received a very large supply of foreign, and American Snuffs, embracing the largest assortment ever offered for sale in this city, named, in part, as follows:

AMERICAN.	
216 pounds American Gentleman	
240 Genuine Congress	
211 Imitation do	
237 Demi Gros	
312 Guignon	
800 Yellow, brown, and black Rappee	
456 Plain unscented do	
250 Lancaster do	
350 Maccabau do	
184 Imitation do	
120 Fine Scotch	
20 do No. 1 and 2, in bottles	
167 Natchitoches	
12 dozen do in bottles	
FOREIGN.	
10 dozen Maccabau de la Martinique de chez Jos. Lamorelle	
3 Hardham's No. 9 and 27, in lead	
3 Veritable Rapé de Paris sans opprét	
1 Friberg & Freyer's Macee, in tin	
2 Bolongoro Borgis, Rappe Morocco	

The above Snuffs, with a large stock of Cigars, Fancy Articles, Perfumery, &c., were selected by myself from the principal American and importing houses in New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, and are offered for sale as cheap as any store in this city.

JAMES M. DORSETT,

Snuff, Tobacco, and Fancy Store,

No. 11, east of Gadsby's Hotel.

BOSTON ACADEMY'S COLLECTION OF CHURCH MUSIC, consisting of the most popular psalm and hymn tunes, anthems, sentences, chants, &c., old and new; together with many beautiful pieces, tunes and anthems, selected from the masses and other works of Haydn, Mozart, Beethoven, Pergolesi, Righini, Cherubini, and other distinguished composers, arranged and adapted to English words expressly for that work. Published under the direction of the Boston Academy of Music.

THE SOCIAL CHOIR, designed for a class book for the domestic circle, consisting of selections of music from the most distinguished authors, among which are the names of Haydn, Bellini, Rossini, C. M. von Weber, Auber, Boieldieu, and Mazzinghi, with several original pieces of music by the editor, and many beautiful extracts of poetry have been made from Mrs. Hemans, T. Moore, Sir Walter Scott, Dr. S. Gray, jun., J. C. Pray, jun., and others, in 2 volumes, price \$2 per set, single \$1.